



BHGL Case No. 6270/131  
(Client Ref. No. 300131)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Bryan J. Gilbert et al. )  
Serial No. 10/712,960 ) Examiner: E. Raymond  
Filing Date: November 13, 2003 ) Group Art Unit No. 2857  
For INTELLIGENT ELECTRONIC )  
DEVICE HAVING NETWORK )  
ACCESS )

**PRELIMINARY RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Prior to the examination of the present application, please consider the following remarks:

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